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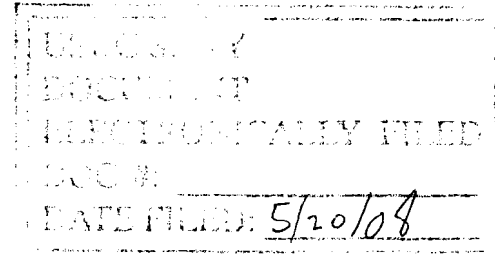
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May 19, 2008

VIA FAX: 212-805-6717

Hon. Richard M. Berman
U.S. District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: U.S. v. John Aviles
07 Cr. 588 (RMB)



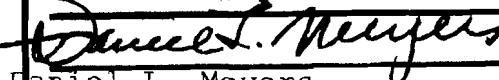
Dear Judge Berman:

In order to permit counsel for the parties to continue their ongoing plea discussions, I am writing to respectfully request that the status conference in this matter be adjourned from May 20, 2008, to May 27, 2008, at 3:30 P.M. The adjourned date and time were suggested by Ms. Christine Murray, Courtroom Deputy. Assistant U.S. Attorney Michael M. Rosensaft consents to this request.

For the foregoing reason, it is additionally requested that the running of the speedy trial clock be tolled until May 27, 2008.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.


Respectfully yours,


Daniel L. Meyers

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cc: AUSA Michael M. Rosensaft
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Mr. John Aviles

<p>The adjournment is granted to 5-27-08 at 3:30 p.m. Time is excluded pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act for the reasons set forth in this letter.</p> <p>SO ORDERED: Date: 5-20-08  Richard M. Berman, U.S.D.J.</p>
